

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 0618

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EGEN

SUBJ: CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY RE DELINQUENT POSTAL CHARGES

REF: STATE 96472

1. YOU MIGHT CONSIDER NOTING THAT DELINQUENT DEBTS WHICH DEPT ASSISTS USPS COLLECT ARE IN FIRST INSTANCE DETERMINED AND BILLED BY POSTAL DEPARTMENT. DEPT ONLY ASSISTS IN THOSE INSTANCES WHERE THE DEBT IS DELINQUENT, THAT IS, THREE YEARS OR OLDER. IF USPS DOES NOT BILL INTEREST, DEPT HAS NO BASIS FOR COLLECTING SUCH CHARGES.
2. RE PARA 4, SUGGEST YOU VERIFY DEPT AUTHORITY WITH MR. CROWE (EB/IFD). OTHERWISE CONCUR. SUGGESTED REPLY.
3. THRUST OF FIRST PROPOSED PARAGRAPH IS DIRECTED TO SHORT TERM DELINQUENCY.

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